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The Honorable Peter MacGregor, Chair Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS Michigan State Senate Lansing, Michigan 48933

The Honorable Earl Poleski, Chair House Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS Michigan House of Representatives Lansing, Michigan 48933

Dear Senator MacGregor and Representative Poleski:

This report is provided pursuant to the Department of Human Services' (DHS') Fiscal Year 2015 Appropriations Act, PA 252 of 2014, Article X, Section 588(2). This section requires the department submit a report on the number of children enrolled in the guardianship assistance and foster care – children with serious emotional disturbance waiver programs. The following tables provide the monthly enrollment data for the third quarter of fiscal year 2015:

## GUARDIANSHIP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (GAP)

FY 2015 QUARTER #3	# OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN GAP
April 2015	837
May 2015	846
June 2015	872

## CHILDREN WITH SERIOUS EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE WAIVER (SEDW)

FY 2015 QUARTER #3	# OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN SEDW
April 2015	235
May 2015	239
June 2015	235

If you have any questions, please contact Stacie Bladen, Children's Services Agency's deputy director, at (517) 373-6264.

Sincerely,

Nick Lyon

cc: Senate and House Appropriations Subcommittees on DHS Senate and House Policy Offices

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